#### § 95.50-90

### § 95.50-90 Vessels contracted for prior to November 19, 1952.

- (a) Vessels contracted for prior to November 19, 1952, shall meet the following requirements:
- (1) The provisions of §§ 95.50–5 through 95.50–15 shall be met with the exception that existing installations in safety areas and service spaces may be maintained if in the opinion of the Officer in Charge, Marine Inspection, they are in general agreement with the degree of safety prescribed by Table 95.50–10(a). In such cases, minor modifications may be made to the same standard as the original installation: *Provided*, That in no case will a greater departure from the standards of Table 95.50–10(a) be permitted than presently exists.

### Subpart 95.60—Fire Axes

#### § 95.60-1 Application.

(a) The provisions of this subpart shall apply to all vessels other than motorboats.

#### § 95.60-5 Number required.

(a) All vessels except barges shall carry at least the minimum number of fire axes as set forth in Table 95.60–5(a). Nothing in this paragraph shall be construed as limiting the Officer in Charge, Marine Inspection, from requiring such additional fire axes as he deems necessary for the proper protection of the vessel.

TABLE 95.60-5(a)

Gross tons		Number of
Over	Not over	axes
50 200 500	50 200 500 1,000	1 2 4 6
1,000		8

(b) Manned barges shall carry at least two fire axes

#### § 95.60-10 Location.

(a) Fire axes shall be distributed throughout the spaces available to persons on board so as to be most readily available in the event of emergency.

(b) If fire axes are not located in the open, or behind glass, so that they may be readily seen, they may be placed in enclosures together with the fire hose, provided such enclosures are marked as required by §97.37-15 of this subchapter.

# PART 96—VESSEL CONTROL AND MISCELLANEOUS SYSTEMS AND EQUIPMENT

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